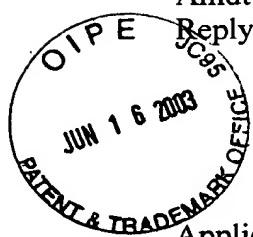


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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 11, 2003, applicant elects claims 1-26 for examination. Further, applicant elects claim 26 as the single disclosed species for examination. This restriction is respectfully traversed. This election also includes a request for a one month extension of time.

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